









**CLOSE OF THE TIGHBORNE TRIAL.**

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to never hear, before, and which he hoped he should never hear again. You have been invited, he said, to pronounce a verdict not simply with reference to your own country, but to the whole of the human race, to pronounced actions at the hands of your countrymen. I am sure there is not one of you, however much you may desire to stand well in the sight of your fellow-countrymen, who would not be glad to be asked to sacrifice his own sense of duty and right for popular applause or the idle gratification resulting from such an action. There is but one course to be pursued, and that is, a great public duty. No man should be inexcusable to public opinion or the applause of his fellow-countrymen, but there is far higher consideration—the satisfaction of your own conscience, the knowledge that you have done your duty, that you are "still small voices" which, if they listen honestly to the dictates, never misleads or deceives, and inspires a feeling which

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### Vessels Advertised as Loading.

DESTINATION	VESSEL'S NAME	CAPTAIN	AT	FOR/FREIGHT APPLY TO	TO BE DISPATCHED
LONDON via SUEZ CANAL	Ulysses (str.)	.....	Hongkong	Butterfield & Swire	On or about 4th prox.
HAMBURG	Albatross	.....	Hongkong	Yoyed, Hagadera & Co.	Quick despatch
ANTWERP and SYDNEY	.....	.....	Hongkong	Rosario & Co.	Quick despatch
SAN FRANCISCO	Munja	B. P. Ologh	Hongkong	Russell & Co.	Quick despatch
Do	Oracles	Erquiga	.....	Russell & Co.	Quick despatch
Do	Windward	.....	Hongkong	Wanderer & Co.	Quick despatch
Do	Great Eagle (str.)	.....	Hongkong	P. M. S. S. Co.	On 12th prox. at 8 p.m.
SAIGON, SINGAPORE &c.	Hoang (str.)	Varanger	.....	Messageries Maritimes	On 2nd prox. at noon
SINGAPORE, BOMBAY &c.	China (str.)	C. G. Ferris	Hongkong	Yoyed & Co.	Quick despatch
Do	Do	H. Wilson	Hongkong	Ah Yee	To-day, at noon
Do	Cassandra (str.)	Langer	Hongkong	Wm. Frutkin & Co.	Quick despatch
Do	Maria y Victoria	Santa Coloma	Hongkong	Kempson & Co.	Quick despatch
Do	Do	.....	Hongkong	Wm. Frutkin & Co.	To-morrow, at 10 A.M.
YOKOHAMA	Midway (str.)	.....	Hongkong	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Quick despatch
Do	Volga (str.)	Flintou	Hongkong	Messageries Maritimes	To-day, at 3 p.m.
SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA &c.	Tobatcheff (str.)	.....	Hongkong	Vers. Pustak & Co.	Quick despatch
Do	Della (str.)	.....	Hongkong	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Quick despatch
Do	Tigre (str.)	Leclaire	Hongkong	Messageries Maritimes	To-morrow, at 11 A.M.
Do	Gladiator (str.)	.....	Hongkong	Butterfield & Swire	On 1st prox. at noon
Do	Hongkong	.....	Hongkong	Yoyed & Co.	To-day, at 2 p.m.
Do	Mermaid (str.)	Katy	Hongkong	Wm. Frutkin & Co.	Quick despatch
Do	Gordon Castle (str.)	Bitche	Hongkong	John Bird & Co.	To-day, at 4 p.m.

**For Sale.**

**STAYLE & CO.**  
**HAVE** just landed, ex S. S. *Glenarth*,  
 Fresh Milk, *Cavender* Cakes, and other  
 late arrivals, a Large and Choice Assortment of  
**SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS** as  
**FANCY FLANNELS** and **LIGHT**  
**TWEEDS** for **SUITS**, made especially for our  
 Climate.  
 The above **FANCY DRESS** and **DELI-**  
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**PANAMA SUITS**, in **FANCY FLANNEL**,  
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**Gentlemen's OXFORD** and **CAMBRIDGE**  
**TWILL SHIRTS**, with **Collars**.  
**FEET HATS** (Ostrich's' make) of the lat-  
 est styles.  
**WHITE**, **SPECKLED**, and **PANAMA**  
**SPRAW HATS**.  
**COCKS** of all the newest fashions.  
**GRENADEE SCARVES** and **TIES**, **Fur**,  
**Colors**, and **BLACK SILK**, **COTTON**, **and**  
**MERINO HALF-PONES**, **Striped** and **White**.  
**Handkerchiefs**, **Shirts**, in **Silk**, **Gauze**,  
**Snodgrass's**, and other makes.  
**HANDKERCHIEFS**, **Fine Cuffs**, **Plaid**  
**and Silk Borders**.  
**SILK UMBRELLAS**, with **Plain** and **Fancy**  
**Sticks**.  
**BOOTS** and **SHOES** of **Dawson's** well-known  
 make, best quality.  
**SOLAR PUMP HATS** and **HELMETS**  
 of all the **Latest**.  
**Blow-out Patent Regulation HELMETS**.  
**PORTRAITCASES** of **Solid** and **Bazil** **Lith-**  
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**TRUNKS**, **of BAGS**, and **SOLID LIN-**  
**BAGS**, necessary on a **voyage**.  
**DRESS TRUNKS**, for **Ladies**.  
**SETS** of **STUDS**, **SOLITAIRE**.  
**LINEN**, **and** **Woolen**.  
**TOOTH POWDER**,  
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 for the Toilet.

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**BAKER & CO.**  
**BE** most respectfully to inform the Public  
that they are now offering the remains  
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**WINTER STOCK,**  
**AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.**  
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**BAKER & CO.,**  
**COURT DRESS MAKERS & MILLINERS,**  
**24, QUEEN'S ROAD,**  
**(at 282 Hongkong, 23rd February, 1874)**

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**C**HAMPAGNE, (Genuine, Mark).  
**THEOPHILE ROEDERER, —**  
Gladstein, Pinis, 2 doz. each case.  
Carte Blanche, do, 2 do. do.  
Carte Noire, do, 2 do. do.  
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Carte Blanche, Dry, Quarts, 1 doz. each case.  
do, do, Fints, 2 doz. do.  
do, Dry, Half-pints, 4 do. do.  
Carte Noire, Very Dry, Quarts, 1 doz. case.  
do, do, Fints, 2 do. do.  
**DUC DE MONTEBELLO, —**  
Carte Blanche, Quarts, 1 doz. each case.  
do, Fints, 2 do. do.  
do, Half-pints, 4 do. do.  
Apply to  
**G. DUBUST & Co.**  
No. 185, Hongkong, 23rd February, 1874.

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**FOR SALE.**  
**THE PROPERTY OF M. GENERAL**  
**WHITFIELD**  
**A** N English Bull, WAGGONETTE, with  
Shifting Cover, by Lewis & Warner,  
London.  
**A** Light English Bull T CART, by Kiegs

## Vessels on the Berth.

**NOTICE.**

**COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES**  
**MARITIMES.**  
**PAQUETS DE POSTE FRANCAIS.**

**THE Company's Steamship**

**"VOLGA."**

Captain Fleureau, will be despatched for  
**YOKOHAMA**  
TO-DAY, the 24th instant, at 8 P.M.  
O. BERTRAND,  
Principal Agent.

597 Hongkong, 24th April, 1874.

**FOR SAIGON.**

**THE British Steamer**

**"REGALIA."**

Captain Charles Harrison, will be despatched  
above TO-DAY, the 24th instant, at 4 P.M.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**AT KONG KING SHIP,**  
57, Praya Street.

53 590 Hongkong, 24th April, 1874.

**FOR MANILA.**

**THE Spanish Steamer**

**"LEONOR."**

Captain Echague, will be despatched for the  
above Port TO-MORROW, the 25th instant  
at 10 A.M.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**DOUGLAS LAFLAIX & Co.**  
34 611 Hongkong, 24th April, 1874.

**NOTICE.**

**COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES**  
**MARITIMES.**  
**PAQUETS DE POSTE FRANCAIS.**

**THE Company's Steamship**

**"MORE."**

Captain Lecollette, will be despatched for  
**SHANGHAI**  
TO-MORROW, the 25th instant, at 11 A.M.  
O. BERTRAND,  
Principal Agent.

598 Hongkong, 24th April, 1874.

**FOR SHANGHAI.**

**THE Russian Steamer**

## Intimations.

**FOOHOOG DOCK.**

**PAGODA & ANCHORAGE.**

**T**HIS above Granite-floored DOCK has lately been LENGTHENED to 400 feet over all, and is now capable of receiving vessels up to 800 feet on the keel, and a breadth of the Dock at the bottom is 40 feet, at the top 80 feet, and the width at the entrance is 56 feet. Depth of water on the sill 11 feet at average noon, and 17 feet at spring tides, and 12 feet at neap tides.

The Dock has a GUISON Gate, and is pumped out by steam.

A new FOUNDRY for large iron and brass castings has recently been added.

800 feet on the keel, contains a 12-inch Screw Cutting Gas-lathe, Small Lathe, Drilling and Boring Machine, Steam Saw Mill, Large Smithy, &c., &c.

Dry Cylinders are on the premises, available for storage of cargo, &c., &c.

A large stock of Timber, Metal, and other Dock-yard Material always on hand.

Vessels desiring for examination, renovated, repaired, repainted, &c., done in harbour; and Iron ships and steamers cleaned and painted, at moderate charges. Particulars can be obtained at the Dock, or on application to the undersigned.

The Steam Tug Woomay is in thorough working order, and is available at all times to tow ketches to or from anch, at reasonable rates.

J. HENDERSON & CO.,  
at 1099, Foochoo, 18th June, 1873.

**BROWN JONES & CO.**  
**UNDEERTAKERS, &c.**  
Office—No. 3, HOLLYWOOD ROAD.  
Residential Streets and Mansions erected,  
at 137, Hongkong, 21st January, 1873.

**T**HE UNDERSIGNED begs to inform the Public of  
**HONGKONG, KO NAM, AND CANTON,**  
that he has shops established at those places in the name of HING KEE.

In HONGKONG, at the Central Market, No. 42—he has his constantly on hand BEEF, MUTTON, POULTRY, BREAD, VEGETABLES, and OILMAN'S STORES, &c., of the best quality.

In KO NAM and CANTON SHOPS, the foregoing articles, with the addition of SPIRITS, SODA WATER, &c., and GAMU which is sold at retail prices.

Gentlemen and Families desirous of patronizing him, are requested to apply at his shops as above, where a list of prices of articles will be put at their disposal, which will be supplied at the same rate all the year round.

HING KEE.

ly 745 Hongkong, 18th May, 1873.

NOTICE.

**I**N Order to meet the wishes of the Native Community, the Chinese Issue of this Paper has been, from the commencement of the China New Year, issued DAILY instead of on alternate days as before.

The Paper has been Established for nearly Twenty Years, and is, as to Editorial Management, under the Direction of a Well Educated Chinese Gentleman; gives reliable commercial and general information, and has the same position with the Native Community as to Advertisements and News as the English Daily Press with the Foreign Community. The Charge for Advertisements will be as heretofore.

Hongkong, 23rd February, 1874.

STEAM FORT.

## Post-Office Notifications.

For Shanghai.—Per Hongkong, to-day, the 4th inst. at 1.30 P.M.  
For Yokohama.—Per French Mail Packet *Colo*, to-day, the 24th inst. at 2.30 P.M.  
For Saigon.—Per *Baguio*, to-day, the 24th inst. at 2.30 P.M.  
For Manila.—Per steamer *Leonor*, to-morrow, the 25th inst. at 9.30 A.M.  
For Singapore.—Per French Mail Packet *Yoko*, to-morrow, the 25th inst. at 10 A.M.

**MAILS BY THE "ENGLISH PACKET."**  
The English Contract Packet, *CHINA*, will be dispatched with the usual Mails for the United Kingdom, on SATURDAY, the 25th inst., at noon.  
Money Orders on any of the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom, will be granted until 5 P.M. on the 24th inst.  
The Post Office will be open until 6 P.M. on the 24th inst.  
Letters, &c., may be posted during the night on the box left open for their reception.  
Letters for re-delivery will be received until 10 A.M. on the 25th inst.  
Letters may be posted until 10 A.M. on the 25th inst., without late fee.  
Letters posted after 10 A.M. on the 25th inst., will not be forwarded unless the *Lais* Fee of 18 cents each, as well as the postage is prepaid.  
The latest time for posting Letters at this Office is 1 P.M., and for Newspapers, Books, or Patterns 10 A.M. on the 25th inst.  
Late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom via *Brindis*, or to Singapore may be posted on board the Packet from 1.30 P.M. to the time of sailing, on payment of a *Lais* Fee of 40 cents each in addition to the postage.

**F. W. MITCHELL,**  
Postmaster General.  
General Post-Office,  
Hongkong, 15th April, 1874.

It is hereby notified that henceforward the postage on letters addressed to Denmark, when forwarded via Southampton, will be 28 cents per half-ounce, prepayment optional. Unpaid letters will be subject to an additional charge on delivery.

**F. W. MITCHELL,**  
Postmaster General.  
General Post-Office,  
Hongkong, 22nd February, 1873.

It is hereby notified for general information that henceforward the Postage on Letters addressed to Russia, when marked to be forwarded via Southampton, will be reduced to 40 cents per half-ounce.

**F. W. MITCHELL,**  
Postmaster-General.  
General Post Office,  
Hongkong, 18th September, 1872.

It is hereby notified that the postage chargeable upon *Paix* Letters addressed to France when forwarded by French Mail Packet, and 18 cents per quarter ounce when forwarded by British Mail Packet.

**F. W. MITCHELL,**  
Postmaster General.  
General Post-Office,  
Hongkong, 20th December, 1871.

It is hereby notified that the rates of postage chargeable hereafter on Letters addressed to the United Kingdom, and to places beyond the United Kingdom, when forwarded by French Mail Packet, will be the same as those charged by our Letters forwarded by British Packet via *Brindis*.

**F. W. MITCHELL,**  
Postmaster General.  
General Post-Office,  
Hongkong, 20th December, 1871.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.  
APRIL 23RD, EVENING.

New Patna, \$550 to \$560, cash, little doing.  
Old Patna, \$607 to \$615, cash, little doing.  
New Bonaire, \$545 to \$550, cash, little doing.  
No change in Malwa.

**EXPORT CARGOES.**  
Per M. M. steamer *Oranger*, for Marseille  
and London:—  
Forward, 100 bales Silks—275 bales and 15 casks  
Silk, 841 cases Sundries, and 2 cases Silks.  
FOR LONDON—100 bales Silk, 702 cases  
Sundries, 1,366 pigs, and 11,916 boxes Tea.

**EXCHANGE.**  
Bank Bills, on demand, ..... 4/3  
Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight, ..... 4/3  
Bank Bills, at 60 days' sight, ..... 4/4  
Credits, at 6 months' sight, ..... 4/4  
Documentary Bills, at 3 months' .....  
sight ..... 4/4  
On Bombay.—Bank, 3 days' sight, 82 1/2  
On Calcutta.—Bank, 3 days' sight, 82 1/2  
ON SHANGHAI.—  
Bank, sight, ..... 72 1/2  
Private, 30 days' sight ..... 72 1/2

**SALES ON APRIL 23RD, 1874.**  
As reported by Chinese.  
*Potatoes* Flour, 50 bags, at 71s. 13.00, by W  
abun-hing to travelling trader.  
*American* Paper, 50 lbs., 200 bags, at \$1.44, by  
F. M. M. to the bank to local trader.  
*White Sugar*, 270 bags, at \$6.17, by So  
foong to travelling trader.  
*Black Rice*, 3,000 pounds, at \$1.75, by Yu  
fo to local trader.  
*Almonds*, 10 bags, at \$25.50, by Kwong-fo  
to travelling trader.  
*Shellfish*, 20 cases, at \$40.00, by Kwong-fo  
to travelling trader.  
*Forward*, 100 bales, at \$55.50, by Kwong-fo  
to travelling trader.  
*Black Pepper*, 180 bags, at \$10.80, by Shu  
cheng to local trader.  
*Forward*, 100 bags, at \$8.80, by Kin Koo  
to travelling trader.

**BEDSTEADS**, in various sizes and colours

VICTORIA'S EXCHANGE  
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HONGKONG  
AND AT SHANGHAI.

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DAVID COBURN & SON  
Merchant Navy  
Newly Bottled  
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Crown.  
CANVAS.  
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**ENGLISH AND CHINESE DICTIONARY**  
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An AVOIRO-CHINESE DICTIONARY, publish-  
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**FROM** completeness and practical use  
this Work stands unrivalled. All the  
words which the Chinese have of late years  
come to coin to express the numerous  
things in machinery, photography, telegraphy  
in science generally, and in the new order  
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have given in *scissors*. Each and every word  
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**A** BOAT 150 tons of 24 in. CABLE and ANCHOR, formerly the moorings of H. M. S. Ship *Melville*.

For particulars, apply to

**J. B. KIMBLEY & HUGHES.**  
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**FOR SALE.**

**C**AVIATE CHEEHOONS, 2x. Cootadon, in Boxes of 200 and 500.

Apply to

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3rd 225 Hongkong, 10th February, 1874.

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**FOR SALE.**

**PHILOPHILE BOEDERER & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE (Genuine Mark) —**  
Gladiator, " in Pink.  
Carnegie, " " "  
Ours Noirs, " " "

**J. LEMBKE.**  
3rd 227 Hongkong, 10th February, 1874.

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**A. S. WATSON & CO.,**  
**CHEMISTS AND DRUGGISTS**  
11, 13, 15, THE CORNER OF EDINBURGH

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For Freight or Passage apply to  
 W. R. PUSTAU & Co., Agents.  
 598 Hongkong, 20th April, 1874.  
**STEAM ROY YOKUHAMA**  
 SHEP P. O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship  
 "MADRAS"  
 leave for the above place shortly after the  
 arrival of the next English Mail.  
 A. M. MOYER, *Superintendent*  
 O. S. N. Co.'s Office,  
 Hongkong, 17th April, 1874. [579]  
**STEAM TO SHANGHAI**  
 carrying Cargo of through rates for NAGASAKI  
 and HIOGO.  
 SHEP P. O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship  
 "DELTA"  
 leave for the above place about 24 hours  
 after the arrival of the next English Mail.  
 A. M. MOYER, *Superintendent*  
 O. S. N. Co.'s Office,  
 Hongkong, 17th April, 1874. [580]  
**COGNAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY**  
 FOR LONDON via the SUEZ CANAL.  
 SHEP COMPANY'S Steamship  
 "OLYSSSES"  
 will be despatched about the 4th of May  
 carrying rates accepted on behalf of the Company  
 as under—  
 To SUEZ 27, 1/2, all risks, 18/10; P.P.A.  
 SUEZ 15, 1/2, do.  
 For Freight or Passage, apply to  
 BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE  
 Agents.  
 41 589 Hongkong, 21st April, 1874.  
**FOR SAN FRANCISCO**  
 SHEP A. American Bark  
 "WINDWARD"  
 will leave for the above place  
 and will have quick despatch.

company reserve the option of forward-

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Hongkong, 23rd August, 1979.

It is hereby notified for general info

that on and after the 1st August next, the Commission chargeable on Money Orders issued upon the United Kingdom at Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yokohama will be as follows, viz.:

On sums not exceeding £2.....	18 cents.
Above £2 and not exceeding £5.....	27 „ 38 „
Above £5 and not exceeding £10.....	27 „ 54 „
Above £10 and not exceeding £100.....	27 „ 72 „

F. W. MITCHELL,  
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,  
Hongkong, 16th July, 1870.

It is hereby notified for general information, that the Postage (which must be paid in advance) upon letters addressed to Prince Edward Island, will henceforward be as follows, viz.:

When forwarded via Bridport.....	42 cents each half-ounce.
When forwarded via Liverpool.....	36 cents each half-ounce.
When forwarded via Southampton.....	35 cents each half-ounce.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,  
Hongkong, 23th July, 1870.

Arrangements having been made under which Mails for London, arriving at Szei from China, by Private Ships will be forwarded to destination via Bridport, it is hereby notified that the rates of postage, which must be paid in advance, on correspondence addressed to the United Kingdom so forwarded, will be as follows, viz.:

For Letters.....	34 cents per half ounce.
For Newspapers.....	2 „ 10 „
For Books and Patterns.....	1 „ 6 „ 2 „ 12 „ 3 „ 12 „

(Every additional 4 „ 12 „)

F. W. MITCHELL,  
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,  
Hongkong, 20th December, 1871.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

CHINA SEA.  
FOOCHOW DISTRICT.  
OOKESUW ISLAND LIGHTHOUSE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the works on the High or West Ookesu Island have been commenced.

The Illuminating Apparatus will be ready for lighting on the 1st of April, showing white flashes at one minute intervals.

The Light will be elevated about 286 ft above the level of three, and in clear weather it should be visible from a distance of 24 nautical miles.

The Tower will be round, of stone, 36 ft high, with a total height from its base to the vane of 64 feet.

During the progress of the works, and the establishment of the burning light, a temporary Dioptric fixed white light of the Six Order will be shown, which in clear weather should be visible from a distance of 7 nautical miles.

Approximate position:—Latitude 24°55' N  
Longitude 101°28' E

By order of the Inspector General of Customs  
DAVID M. HENDERSON  
Engineer-in-Chief

Estimates Office, Customs House,  
KUPES OAST STEEL WORKS  
ESSEN (GERMANY).  
SOLE AGENTS FOR CHINA AND  
JAPAN.  
F. FEIL.  
107 1/2 Hongkong, Shanghai, Cologna (German

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economy of space, achieving a clearness and  
 previously attained; and disposing with the  
 vast margins and vacant spaces which  
 heretofore characterized Chinese publications.  
 To illustrate the value of this work, the  
 following facts are submitted for consideration:  
 Chinese Vocabulary contains about 10,000  
 Chinese characters, and Medhurst's English  
 and Chinese Dictionary about 100,000, while  
 the Chinese character there are 50,000. These  
 words, and upwards of 60,000 Chinese char-  
 acters. Again, despite all the grammar  
 other elementary works as yet published, no  
 student of the different languages absolutely  
 acquire examples of the Chinese characters, and  
 names and equivalents of different words which  
 have one general meaning. Of these examples  
 this work contains more than five times as  
 many as any other Dictionary hitherto  
 published.  
 For practical purposes the arrangement  
 of the work is, so complete, that a refer-  
 ence to the pages enables a person who un-  
 derstands English, to communicate effectively  
 with natives who understand nothing more  
 than their own language. It is, therefore, in-  
 dispensable to all Europeans residing in  
 China, and to the natives themselves if  
 plain subjects fully with which very few  
 need of them are perfectly acquainted.  
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 "DAIRY PAIR" OFFICE, HONG KONG.

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AND  
H.E. THE GOVERNOR.

**DEB** to announce that they have just received a Choice Assortment of  
**PHARMACY** and **TOILET ARTICLES**  
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**BY SPECIAL APPOINTMENT**  
**TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR**  
 AND  
**TO H. I. H. THE GRAND DUKE ALEXIS OF RUSSIA.**  
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**AND GENERAL OUTFITTER.**  
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 (at 192) Bank. (Feb. 1.

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**WING KEAL SHOP**  
**THE** Proprietor of **WING KEAL SHOP** begs to  
 inform the public that his Shop has been  
 established at the "Grand Hotel" Lane, and  
 that he has always a great quantity of **BEST**  
**COAL** in store for sale. Gentlemen or Ship-  
 masters wishing to patronise him, are requested  
 to apply at his Shop.  
 17 1845 Hongkong, 18th August, 1873.

**FOR HANGSUNG**  
**THE** German Bank  
**"ALBATROS."**  
 Captain P. Hansen, will load here and at  
 Whampoa for the above port, and will take  
 passengers.

For Freight, apply to  
**VOGLER, HAGEDORN & Co.**  
 470 Hongkong, 23rd March, 1874.

VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co  
[59] Hongkong, 20th April, 1874.

FOR MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY.  
HE 4 1 Clipper Barque  
"BURTON STATHIE,"  
Capt. Carpin, will have immediate despatch  
for the Pacific.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
ROZARIO & Co  
582, Hongkong, 17th April, 1874.  
FOR SAN FRANCISCO.  
(To follow the American Ship "Malay.")  
HE 4 1 Clipper Ship  
"ORACLE,"  
Capt. Mosler, will have early despatch  
for the West.  
For Freight, apply to  
RUSSELL & Co  
576, Hongkong, 16th April, 1874.  
FOR MANILA:  
HE 1 Spanish Barque  
"MARIA Y VICENTA,"  
Capt. Santa Coloma, will have immediate  
despatch as above.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
REMEDIOS & Co  
509, Hongkong, 2nd April, 1874.  
FOR SAN FRANCISCO.  
HE 4 1 American Ship  
"MALAT,"  
Capt. Trough, Master, will have early despatch  
for the West.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
RUSSELL & Co  
576, Hongkong, 1st April, 1874.

O. BERTRAND,  
Principal Agent.  
22-1 April 1874

U. S. MAIL LINE.  
Q MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.  
TO NEW YORK, VIA PANAMA.  
TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA  
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THE S. S. "**GREAT REPUBLIC**," will leave  
Shanghai for San Francisco, via Yokohama,  
TUESDAY, the 12th May, at 3 P.M.  
Passengers, Mails, and Freight, for  
the United States, and Europe.

First, Passenger Tickets and Bills of  
Lading, for the route from Shanghai to Yokohama,  
and for all other Japan Ports, to San Francisco,  
in Mexico, Central and South America,  
and New York and Europe, VIA PANAMA.  
The owner of the Company will leave Shanghai  
the Island Sea Ports, about the same  
time, to make close connection at Yokohama  
with the new work of the Asiatic Mail Line.  
In addition of various lines of Steamers to  
France, and Germany.

It will be received on board until 4 P.M.  
12th May. Parcel Packages will be  
taken at the Office until 5 P.M. of the same  
date. Parcel Packages to be named to  
other Ports at the same time required.

For further information as to Passage and  
Freight apply to the Agency of the Company,  
in this Port.

G. B. EMORY,  
Agent.

Shanghai, April 15th, 1874

It is hereby notified that Letters and  
 Remittances may be sent either paid or unpaid.

of 2 cents, is the option of the sender; but the postage on  
 Prices Current, Newspapers and Books cannot  
 be prepaid.

For each ounce  
 The rate of postage chargeable on—  
 Letters addressed to France per  
 French Packet is..... 12 cents.  
 Per British Packet when marked via  
 Brindisi..... 18 „  
 Per British Packet when marked via  
 Alexandria and Marseilles..... 12 „

F. W. MITCHELL,  
*Postmaster General.*

General Post-Office,  
 Hongkong, 2nd April, 1879.

It is hereby notified that henceforward the  
 rates of postage which must be paid in advance,  
 chargeable on Parcels of printed papers or  
 patterns of light weight sent from Hongkong  
 to the United Kingdom by the United States  
 Packets via San Francisco, will be as follows  
 viz—

For a packet not exceeding 1 ounce  
 in weight..... 2 cents  
 For a packet above 1 ounce not ex-  
 ceeding 2 ounces..... 4 „  
 For a packet above 2 ounces not ex-  
 ceeding 4 ounces..... 8 „  
 and eight cents for every additional four ounces.  
 These rates apply to Envelopes, Circulars, Eros,  
 Death Certificates, Reports, and all printed papers  
 other than Newspapers, as well as to Books  
 and Trade Patterns or Samples.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
*Postmaster General.*

General Post Office,  
 Hongkong, 13th April, 1879.



